

T. & P. NORWOOD WELL COMES IN

Has An Initial Flow Estimated At 7000 Barrels A Day; Extends Field.

By S. F. HALENTINE.
Eastland, Tex., Feb. 19.—The Texas & Pacific Oil Co. No. 1 Norwood well was drilled into production last night with an estimated initial flow of 7000 barrels daily. The Texas & Pacific office reports the well as making more than 5000 barrels, but the men at the well place the flow of the well today at 7000 barrels. The top of the sand was hit at 2039 feet and the well was drilled 16 feet into the sand the Norwood well is located about one mile south and west of the Pacific company's Big Roger well and north and west of the Connelley well.

Ranger Pool Extends West.
The Ranger pool is expected to be the largest in the world. With the bringing in of the Norwood well to-day the western edge of the pool has been extended westward. The four largest producers in the field, the western line of production today is the Pacific oil & gas Co., Emma Terrell well, the same company's Roger well, the Texas & Pacific Co.'s Norwood well, and the Magnolia's Big Tom Connelley well.

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Many Companies Drill For Oil In Pecos Valley Well Financed Concerns Are Prospecting In A Promising Region.

"Our well is three miles west and one mile north of Lake Arthur, Chaves county, New Mexico, and is down 1300 feet," said V. L. Lincoln, of the Lincoln Oil company, who was at the Sheldon hotel Monday. "We struck some oil at 1125 feet, but it was but a small showing and we cased it off and are going on down 2000 feet, at least. We have been delayed, awaiting more cable, which we expect to arrive in a few days. We have oil rights on 2500 acres in that section. There is a great deal of excitement in the Pecos valley, where we are located," continued Mr. Lincoln. "At Roswell, and every other town, the drilling of the valley, the talk is of oil and gas. Three miles south of our well the Empire Oil company, of Kansas, has acquired leases on 4000 acres. That company's representatives came in there recently and asked for land owners. There was a meeting of land owners in the little Cottonwood school house, the proposition was accepted and the leases are in. The company is now waiting for the drill at 'spudding' in."

Drill Near Roswell.
"The Teller Oil company has been drilling north from Roswell about eight miles. I understand that concern has a contract with the state of New Mexico to drill a well. I do not know the exact status of their work. The Eldorado Oil & Gas Co., of Kansas, has had representatives in our part of the country looking over the prospects of the country, but I do not know what they may have done. One thing I can say—that stronger concerns are investigating our section and the country, and that lends greater hope of something being done to prove whether there is oil here or not. Those I have named are but a few of the concerns that are looking our way."

Mr. Lincoln was formerly of Los Angeles, Cal. His family was the owner and operator of a gold property very near the Crown King mine in Arizona. The company was the Lincoln Gold Mining & Milling Co.

New Oil Fields May Make El Paso Great City Of Southwest

"If that Columbus, N. M., well shows up the oil as indications at 2000 feet in depth now promise, only about 50 miles west of El Paso, this city will be an oil center, and the same will be true if the wells now drilling near Roswell, Pecos city, within 200 miles eastward are brought in," said Lew Bryant on his return from Columbus. Besides these three prospects the El Paso Oil and Gas Co., just organized, has purchased drilling machinery preparatory to drilling its first well, one mile north of El Paso, and about a mile east of the Santa Fe railroad. The company, composed of people of that place, it has leases on 15,000 and 16,000 acres of land and is capitalized at \$200,000. Its first well, six miles north of Pecos, is equipped according to a company official, with a standard drill outfit costing \$75,000, including \$27,000 for 15, 12, 10, 8 and 6 inch casing, and all pipe tools. It is also claimed for this company that it has equipment with which it can start a duplicate well in 40 days. Two shifts of men are employed and a third is to be put on.

Will Start Drilling For Oil Six Miles From El Paso Mar. 1

The El Paso Oil and Gas Co. has material on the ground and has commenced the actual construction of its 30 foot standard derrick for its well No. 1, located six miles northward from El Paso and 150 feet east of the county road. The location of this well was changed in this particular site at the last moment before actual beginning of work.

It is expected that the derrick will be completed about March 1 and by that time the drilling machinery will probably arrive.

ARIZONA MINING COMPANY OFFICIAL IS ARRESTED
Phoenix, Ariz., Feb. 20.—Under instructions from the state corporation commission, J. A. Carson, secretary of the Inspiration Central Mining company, was arrested Tuesday at Globe, and taken to Phoenix, where he is being held, according to an announcement by the commission.

The attraction followed information to the commission that the company's stock was being offered for sale after Carson had been cited to appear before the board to show cause why he should not be penalized for the sale of stock alleged to have been disposed of since the company's permit to sell expired in 1917.

TO DRILL AT OSCURA.
E. C. Rafferty is preparing to resume drilling on his oil well at Oscursa, N. M., according to reports from that place. This well is down 600 feet.

Madera Company In Mexico Still Operating

The Madera company continues to operate one small saw mill at Grande in the state of Durango, Mex., under the superintendence of Ed. H. Madera. This is one of the big American lumber concerns of Mexico which has been severely handicapped by Mexico's revolutionary troubles. With this small mill they have been getting on for some time for the National Railways of Mexico. The government-owned system of railroads continues the construction work on the projected line of railroad connecting El Paso, capital of the state of the state of Chihuahua, to Matamoros, Tamaulipas. Until the influenza epidemic struck that part of the country there were said to have been 1000 men employed in the construction of this road.

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GOING AFTER OIL AROUND EL PASO

Excitement Here Is Growing; Indications Hereabouts Are Good.

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unless development work is under way.

Speculators Busy.
Many are filing now with the idea of selling their claims to speculators. Many are filing with the earnest intention of drilling if they can get the money. In some cases, individuals are pooling their interests and will drill.

Never in the history of El Paso county have so many mineral claims been filed in such a short space of time as during the past week.

Mineral rights are open on all lands not sold by the state prior to 1907. Up until that time mineral rights went with state lands. Since then the state has retained its mineral rights and many oil rights filed with the county clerk during the past few days have been upon land actually owned or leased by private individuals. In at least one instance, on the valley, an owner of some land gave an option upon it to several El Pasoans who intended to buy it outright, but when they went to investigating the title they found that three El Pasoans had filed upon the mineral and oil rights so the deal fell through, as the old not-secure for the land without these rights.

Some Own Mineral Rights.
Land sold prior to 1907 carried the mineral rights and all such land is controlled by the owners. In many cases, however, they are leasing the oil and mineral rights on the same terms the state gives—10 cents an acre for the first year and one-eighth of the product in the even years. The lessees pledge themselves to develop the land.

While the excitement locally is intense over the likelihood of obtaining oil in this locality, it is not confined to that; there is much interest in the oil developments in the proved fields and much stock is being sold here in wells about to be sunk or now drilling in the proved fields. So intense is the interest that many companies are opening offices here and at least one oil exchange has been ready opened and another is about to open. It is said a third will be opened shortly for active trading in oil stocks.

Oil Here—How Much?
For years there have been indications of oil near El Paso. Old timers have often expressed the belief that it was here, for there are many indications of oil—but oil in great quantities is not always found even where the geological indications are good. To-day has as fine oil indications as any section of the country and oil has actually been found there; also plenty of gas, but the oil has never been found in paying quantities. However, as one man remarked today, "there is lots of territory over El Paso. Somewhere here at several points, geological formations have also been found near here that indicate oil. Rocks that indicate oil have been found in several localities about El Paso. Oil has been found in small quantities at Columbus, 30 miles west and at Alamogordo, 30 miles north. Somewhere around here there must be a lot of it, the enthusiasts argue. It is certain that there is here, and it is certain it is the question—and that is what is causing a great deal of the excitement. This actual belief that El Paso itself is an oil field, this brings the excitement so much nearer home that El Pasoans cannot be blamed for a little undue activity."

El Paso has really got the oil fever—almost as badly as Dallas and Fort Worth—for there is a lure in the idea that there is a chance to make a fortune in a slight—here that calls to the human anywhere, and El Paso is no exception.

Is There Money In Oil? Well, It Seems So

Burkburnett, Texas, Feb. 20.—Following is a list of the dividend paying companies of the Burkburnett field and dividends paid or about to be paid:

Deerman and Canada.....	50 percent
Big Pool	100 percent
Block 25	100 percent
Burl Vernon	5 percent
Citizens'	200 percent
Columbia	220 percent
Couch Winfrey	100 percent
Big 2	100 percent
Floydada	325 percent
Great Dome	50 percent
Green River	25 percent
Hammond No. 2	100 percent
Hammond No. 1	225 percent
Jack Robie	100 percent
K. A. P.	100 percent
Russell Sanderson	100 percent
Sunbeam No. 1	10 percent
Sunbeam	10 percent
Scraper Ardis	50 percent
Vindicator	175 percent
Victory Pet	50 percent
Wichita Fuel	25 percent
Wichita Oil and Gas	25 percent
Wichita Pet	20 percent
Wichita Bank	100 percent
Walker Oil Co.	115 percent
Wichita Southern	100 percent

UVALDE OIL COMPANY HAS FILED ITS INCORPORATION

Santa Fe, N. M., Feb. 20.—The Uvalde Oil Co., Francis C. Wilson, statutory agent and headquarters at Santa Fe, has filed incorporation papers. The capitalization is \$500,000, of which \$250,000 is paid up. The incorporators are: Directors being Francis C. Wilson, 1908 shares; Daniel H. Sadler, one share; Herman D. Sears, one share.

SAYS DUKE WELL IS IN

E. H. E. Wheelock, of El Paso, who is interested in the Comanche Horse Oil Co., reported Wednesday night that a wire from Raymond Test, formerly of El Paso, had fired here, near the Phoenix well in what is known as the Duke pool, in Comanche county, was brought in Tuesday and promised to be one of the best gas wells in that section.

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—Adv.

NEWS BREVITIES

LOCAL AND GENERAL. (Advertisement.)

Train Bulletin.
All afternoon and night trains Thursday were reported on time.

Boats Destroyed by Fire.
Sarasota Lake, N. T., Feb. 20.—A score of speed boats, valued at more than \$100,000 and including the famous Peter Pan, were destroyed yesterday by fire, which rased several boat houses on the shores of Lake Placid.

Dr. Ebert, Dentist, 218 Mills Bldg.

21 Syrians Are Indicted.
New York, Feb. 20.—Seventeen of 21 Syrians, owners of a chain of dry goods stores, indicted by the federal grand jury here yesterday on the charge of using the mails to defraud, were later arraigned before Judge Meyer and held for trial. All pleaded not guilty.

The Camera Shop—211 N. Oregon.

Tanning Company Plant Burns.
Asheville, N. C., Feb. 20.—Fire of unknown cause Wednesday destroyed the plant of the Transylvania Tanning company at Brevard, near here. Official estimate of the loss is \$250,000, but it is believed to be more than \$250,000.

Dr. Anna Reum, Buckner Bldg., Ph. 577.

Osteopaths—Drs. McCarthy, 691 Martin Bldg., Ph. 2486 Residence 464.

Red Cross Resumes Kaitling.
Washington, D. C., Feb. 20.—Need for both knitted and sewed garments at the rate of a million a month for destitute war refugees of Europe and Asia.

42 REFINERIES WORKING IN FT. WORTH VICINITY

The chamber of commerce of Fort Worth publishes a booklet, which shows that there are 42 refining companies either operating, building or planning to build plants within that city or contiguous to it. More than one-fourth of these are already operating in Fort Worth or will be as soon as their refineries are constructed. Between 30 and 35 percent of the pipe lines serving Texas refineries enter the city.

Twelve counties are furnishing the bulk of the oil for the refineries at this time. They are Wichita, Wilbarger, Clay, Archer, Comanche, Stephens, Eastland, Palo Pinto, Shackelford, Coleman, Brown and Runnels. During the early days of February the daily output from the fields in the 12 counties was approximately 150,000 barrels, while El Paso, Big Bend, Burnet and Ranger districts leading.

TO SINK FOR OIL IN NEW TEXAS TERRITORY

Dallas, Tex., Feb. 20.—A test well will immediately be started at Weatherford, Tex., by the Sealing Oil Co., with leases on 10,000 acres in Parker and Clay counties. The Associated Oil and Gas Co., of Fort Worth, has leased about 10,000 acres on the western line of Parker county and the eastern line of Palo Pinto county and will sink a test well on Texas.

TEXANS TO ATTEND BIG OIL MEETING IN CHICAGO

Dallas, Tex., Feb. 20.—Plans are now under way here to organize a party of men from all parts of Texas to attend the National Petroleum congress in Chicago, which begins March 25. An attempt will be made at this convention to merge the American Petroleum Institute and the Independent Oil Men's association.

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COMMITTEES MAY CONSIDER MEXICO MINING PROSPECTS

New York, Feb. 20.—Suggestion that permanent committees be named by the American and Canadian Institutes of Mining Engineers, to consider problems of mutual interest, including mining prospects in Mexico, was made here Tuesday at the continuation of the 17th annual meeting of the American Institute of Mining Engineers. Sidney J. Jennings, retiring president, said he was going to Mexico City this week to confer with the Mexican division of the institute regarding relief to producers of these minerals.

HOUSE DISAPPROVES THE HENDERSON AMENDMENT

After a lengthy debate in the house of representatives in Washington, that body refused, by a vote of 71 to 225, to instruct the conferees of that body to accept the Henderson amendment, which became section 7 of the Dent bill for validating the relief of war contracts. This section 7 provided for the relief for war minerals producers. This action of the house left the conferees free to insist on changes in the section. It was said that the house debate showed that body about equally divided on the question of providing relief to producers of these minerals.

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